



Attorney Docket No. HOS-62
PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1771
MORITA; MUROI; KAKUTA) Examiner: Hai Vo
Serial No. 09/996,777)
Filed: November 30, 2001)
For: **MULTIPLE LAYERS LAMINATED POLYOLEFIN FOAM**

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment having a mailing date of November 26, 2003, with a one month shortened statutory period to respond set to expire on December 26, 2003. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

In view of the following remarks and claim amendments, Applicants respectfully submit that the claims are now in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121 as amended on July 30, 2003.